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SUBJECT: JAPAN VISIT BY LOCKHEED TECHNICAL TEAM

1. LOCKHEED REPS DOUGLAS EMMONS (CHIEF, GOVERNMENT RELATIONS DIV) AND GEORGE CAREY (WASHINGTON REP) VISITED DEPTOFF JULY 21 TO OBTAIN DEPARTMENT'S REACTION TO DISPATCH OF LOCKHEED TECHNICAL TEAM TO JAPAN NEXT WEEK. LOCKHEED REPS EXPLAINED THAT KAWASAKI HEAVY INDUSTRIES, AS POTENTIAL BIDDER FOR POSSIBLE P-3C COPRODUCTION, HAS BEEN ASKED BY GOJ TO SUBMIT PRODUCTION COST FIGURES BY JULY 31. GOJ IS APPARENTLY COLLECTING SUCH DATA AND KAWASAKI MUST COMPLY IN ORDER TO REMAIN IN COMPETITION FOR CO-PRODUCTION SELECTION SHOULD GOJ DECISION BE MADE TO PURCHASE P-3C. TEAM WOULD CONSIST OF PRODUCTION AND FINANCE TYPES LED BY DALE DANIELS, DIRECTOR OF GOVERNMENT MARKETING. CONTACT AT KAWASAKI IS AKIRA KONDO, SENIOR MANAGER, FIXED-WING AIRCRAFT SALES.

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2. DEPTOFF SAID THAT WE COULD SEE NO PROBLEMS AS LONG AS VISIT WAS OF TECHNICAL NATURE IN RESPONSE TO JAPANESE REQUEST. ADVISED LOCKHEED REPS OF SECDEF VISIT AND EMPHASIZED NEED TO MAINTAIN LOW PROFILE. ADVISED THEM ALSO TO CALL MDAO CHIEF MILBURN FOLLOWING COMPLETION OF WORK WITH KAWASAKI (AFTER 7/28). VANCE

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